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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR MARCH 2

GOD'S COVENANT WITH ABRAHAM

LESSON TEXT—Gen. 15:1-15.
GOLDEN TEXT—"He is faithful that promised."—Heb. 10:23.

Until within recent years it was frequently asserted that Abram's battle, as recorded in Gen. 14, "had not one whit of proof," yet the archaeologists have not only reconciled the apparent discrepancies but have proven beyond a question the accuracy of the record. Abram's victory over the four confederate kings is a story rich with typical suggestions.

I. "After These Things." vv. 1-7. God's word (v. 1) came to Abram not only as a counsel but for assurance as well. So, too, our assurance is his word. I John 5:13. In the midst of the uncertainty and the strife, for we must remember Abram never possessed the land, God appeared to him in a vision and said, "Fear not." See Isa. 41:10. There in the midst of foes (Jas. 2:23) God promised to be to Abram a shield and an exceeding great reward. A "shield" for there is to the Christian life a militant side, Eph. 6:13, 14. I Tim. 6:12. A "reward" which was far more rich than any given by man. See 14:21, Prov. 10:22.

Abram Was Human.
But Abram was, after all, human, and we read in verse 2 his question about descendants, he being as yet childless. Even so, however, Abram was willing to count the child of his steward as fulfilling the promise of God. Not so with God for the promise (12:3) was to include Sarah also. God very clearly makes this plain in verse 4, the heir was to be Abram's indeed and not the child of another. But not only is Abram to have an heir but the land in which he was sojourning as a pilgrim was to be his and his seed to be as the stars for multitude.

"And he believed." The great test to this faith came later. Heb. 11:19, but here in this first distinct scriptural history of faith we find set forth those principles that have governed through all time. (1) The acceptance of the word of God, e. g., to have our trust built upon or supported by the word of Jehovah, see Isa. 30:21; (2) to act upon that faith so that our course in life manifests the belief of the heart.

God's covenant, 12:1-4, is confirmed in seven ways, 1, Posterity, (a) natural, "earth," (b) spiritual, "heaven," (c) also through Ishmael, Gen. 17:18-20; 2, Blessing, both temporal and spiritual; 3, great name; 4, Be a blessing, Gal. 3:13, 14; 5, "I will bless them that bless thee," 6, "and curse them that curse thee," 7, the families of the earth blessed through Abram, e. g., through Christ, Gal. 3:16.

"And he believed in the Lord" (v. 6). Abram built upon the naked word of God, he simply looked at that and that alone, Rom. 4:20, R. V. All God asks of us is for us to take him at his word. So it is that as we take his word about Jesus, he reckons that faith to us as righteousness; no matter how unrighteous we may have been, see Rom. 4:3-8; Gal. 3:6-7. The one thing that God demands is that we believe him and his word.

II. "Whereby Shall I Know?" vv. 8-18. The weakness of human faith indicated by Abram's question (v. 8) is answered by God giving him directions for the preparation of a sacrifice. Abram did not really doubt God's word (v. 6), but he did desire a confirming sign. Many today are looking for assuring signs from God when his bare word should be enough. Asking for signs is not always safe, Luke 11:28-30, but as in Abram's case God does give us a pledge of a sign of our inheritance, 2 Cor. 1:22, Eph. 1:14. God gave Abram, after he had explicitly followed his directions, a symbolic vision of himself. Someone has suggested that the wild birds of prey (v. 11) are symbols of Satan, and Abram, driving them away, a symbol of one victory over evil, Jas. 4:7. God is always nearer to man and best reveals himself when we are in the midst of sacrifice. God tells Abram of those days of servitude on the part of his descendants while they are to be in Egypt, of God's judgment to be brought upon that land and of their ultimate deliverance.

Symbols of God.
Every detail of these predictions and promises was fulfilled. In verse 15 there is presented the great thought of the need of preparation in youth for the future days of "good old age"—also in this verse a suggestion of the life beyond the grave. The smoking furnace and the flaming torch were symbols of God himself. Four centuries of opportunity were to be allowed the powerful Amorites who now possessed the land before the land came into bona-fide possession in accordance with the promise, for God's judgment was conditioned upon the "measure of their iniquity being full." In the midst of this horror of darkness came God's final assurance to Abram in the symbolic "flaming torch" which passed between the pieces of the slain animals typical of the two parties to the contract.

DIAMONDS FOR MRS. TAFT.

Rare Necklace Presented by Washington Society Women.
Washington.—As a token of their esteem, prominent society women of the national capital presented President Taft with a rare heart-shaped diamond and Mrs. Taft with a diamond necklace. The gifts, which were in the nature of farewell remembrances to the Tafts, were from a circle of close friends they have made during their long residence in Washington.

SANTA FE PALACE

Old House of Spanish Governors Now Being Restored

Ruins of Ancient Town in New Mexico Show That the Prehistoric People Were Familiar With Concrete Construction.

Santa Fe, N. M.—One of the most interesting and important works of re-habilitation a historic building that was, perhaps, ever undertaken in this country, is now in progress in Santa Fe under the direction of Prof. Edgar L. Hewett of the School of American Archaeology.

The edifice which is now undergoing restoration here is the famous old palace of the governors, which was erected in 1605. This ancient building was the home of nearly 100 viceroys and governors who ruled over the territory in the days of Spanish domination. In the work of restoration efforts are being made to restore the structure to its original dimensions and other features of architectural finish. In carrying on this work a discovery was made that throws new light upon the methods of construction, particularly with reference to the use of concrete, that were used by the people of three centuries ago. It was popularly supposed that the old palace of the governors was built of adobe blocks of great size. The use of these blocks was thought to account for the extraordinary thickness of the walls. In exposing portions of the walls it was recently found that they are of solid construction.

What is of still greater interest, however, is the discovery made by Prof. Hewett that beneath the ancient palace building are the ruins of other buildings that were evidently a part of a prehistoric Indian town and that the buildings of the long lost town were constructed of adobe material in practically the same manner that modern concrete buildings are erected. In describing these discoveries, Prof. Hewett said:

"The dismantling of the interior of the old palace of the governors for the purpose of repairing and restoring it has furnished striking evidence to confirm what has been believed heretofore by archaeologists of the southwest, namely, that the palace was built upon the ruins of a very ancient Indian town by the Spanish conquerors. Large masses of the original walls of the ancient Indian buildings have been laid bare, and in



First Mission Building Erected at Santa Fe. (From an Old Drawing.)

places these have been covered with glass, so that visitors to the museum rooms may see them in place. These walls were built of adobe after the same manner in which concrete walls are constructed at the present time; that is, the mud was puddled in a box of wattlework in massive courses four or five feet thick and three to four feet high. On drying the boxes were reset, and the succeeding courses laid in the same manner. The ancient church at Santa Fe, which was restored to a good semblance of its original appearance a few years ago, is also the object of no little interest in the matter of its construction features. Portions of its walls were of poured concrete lined with adobe bricks. According to tradition, the corner stone of Brothers, the Catholic order which has charge of the edifice, the records show that the church is the oldest house of worship in the United States. Its foundation was laid in 1541.

The oldest oldest church building in this country is the mission of San Xavier, situated near Tucson, Ariz., in the Pagan Indian settlement. There is a dispute as to whether the San Xavier mission building was started in 1547, as is claimed by some, or at a later date.

HORSES DASH INTO PARLOR

Runaway Beer Wagon Team Crashes Through Residence Wall in Chicago.

Chicago.—Maddened horses attached to a beer wagon ran away and before their dash was checked crashed through the wall of a brick and frame building at 153 West 11th street. The front part of the structure was badly wrecked, all of the glass in the front windows being broken. When the police arrived they found the two panting steeds in the parlor and trying to make their way through to the kitchen.

The building was occupied by John McCaron and family. Mrs. McCaron was working in a room adjoining the parlor when she heard a terrific crash in front. Much to her amazement, when she investigated she found two horses tramping on her best carpets, while a heavy brewery truck was wedged half through an aperture in the building. No one was injured, and when the horses were hauled back to the street it was found that they were only slightly scratched.

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Small Girl—Did he make you, teacher?

Teacher—Yes; he made me, too.

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Not Unlikely.
"Well, my boy," said the visitor to Bobby, "I suppose some day you expect to step into your father's shoes?"
"I suppose so," said Bobby, gloomily. "I've been wearin' 'em out everythin' else he wears since mother learned how to cut 'em down for me."—Harper's Weekly.

MRS. BENNETT SAYS "PUBLISH"

Thinks Her Letter Made Public, Might Result in Some Good. All Ladies Should Read.

Henderson, Tex.—In a letter from this city Mrs. V. Bennett says: "Last November I was taken very sick, and had two doctors. They doctored me for most everything that could be thought of, and at last they told me it would be necessary to have an operation. I couldn't give in to this, although I was suffering great pain. Finally I decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I hadn't used it but a short time before I was up, feeling good, and able to do my work. I am still getting along fine, and can recommend Cardui, the woman's tonic, to all suffering women. I shall always praise this great medicine."

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"Then, one day, Wash White called at the bank and said:

"I'd like for to draw out my money, sah."

"Your money?" said the banker, lighting ten-cent cigar.

"Yes, sah, my \$10."

"Yes, my \$10 what I 'posited last summer."

"Why, man alive!" shouted Banker Calhoun Clay angrily, "don't you know the interest due et that up three months ago?"

HANDS ITCHED AND BURNED

Warrenton, Va.—"My little girl was troubled with eczema for three years. Her hands burned and itched and looked as if they were scalded. She could not sleep at night; I had to be up all night to keep her hands in warm water. She rubbed her hands and large white blisters came full of yellow water. Then sores came and yellow corruption formed. She could not take hold of anything with her hands. I used an ointment and tried a treatment, but nothing did her any good, so I got some Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After bathing her hands with the Cuticura Soap and applying the Cuticura Ointment I was astonished to see the great relief, and Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured her hands in three weeks." (Signed) Mrs. John W. Wines, Mar. 8, 1912.

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"Well," replied Mrs. Comfy, "you see, the more style they put on the more likely they are to be invited out to dinner."

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"What war?"
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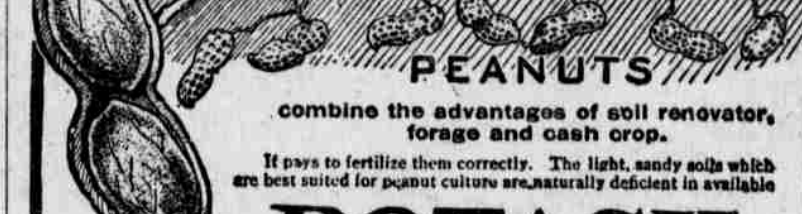
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"I don't like it. It sounds common."
"Common, eh? We have to eat, don't we?"
"And George knows we eat and use dishes?"
"That's very true."
"And George also knows that dishes have to be washed, therefore somebody has to wash them?"
"But, mother—"
"What now?"
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